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Washington, D.C. – Congressman Jerry McNerney (CA-11) issued a reminder today that applications from high school students interested in seeking a nomination to a service academy are due November 2, 2009.

Every year, Congressman McNerney nominates students from the 11th Congressional District for appointment to the U.S Military, Naval, Merchant Marine, and Air Force Academies. Appointed students receive a free 4-year university education, room and board, medical and dental coverage, and a stipend in exchange for a 5-year military service commitment upon graduation.

“I am privileged to nominate exceptional students for appointment at one of the United States service academies,” said Rep. McNerney. “These institutions offer an excellent education and the opportunity to serve one’s country. Our community can be proud of the many students from our area that attend one of these academies.”

For further information, contact Congressman McNerney’s Stockton office at 209-476-8552 or visit his website at [www.McNerney.house.gov](http://www.McNerney.house.gov) .